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For: HYDROGEL COMPOSITES AND :
SUPERPOROUS HYDROGEL COMPOSITES :
HAVING FAST SWELLING, HIGH :
MECHANICAL STRENGTH, AND :
SUPERABSORBENT PROPERTIES :
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.173

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is an application for reissue of U.S. Patent No. 6,271,278. Patent '278 issued August 7, 2001 on Application No. 08/855,499, filed May 13, 1997.

Accompanying herewith is a copy of patent '278 in double-column, single-sided format, which is the specification for this application.

Amendments to the Specification are presented on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks appear on page 3 of this paper.